

BRADDOCK BYLINE

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Starlit Ponds celebrated its 25th anniversary on Saturday, September 17, with a neighborhood clean-up, followed by a potluck lunch. As neighbors filled a picnic table with trays of Spanikopita, Chinese crispy fish and chocolate chip cookies, I couldn't help but reflect on what a microcosm this community is to our entire Braddock District. We've become a mature community, aging gracefully, for the most part. We've also become much more diverse than when our neighborhoods were new. With residents of so many ethnic backgrounds rolling up their sleeves to spruce up their community, Starlit Ponds makes the blending of cultures look effortless. It's not, of course. Building a community and working through our differences takes some work. The payoff, however, is very much worth it.

This issue of the Byline is about change. Just as we are fixing up our older homes and tired landscaping, the County is also doing its part to take care of our aging infrastructure and accommodate the changing needs of our population. Some examples include:

- Starting on **October 6th, 6:30 PM**, my office is hosting a **Braddock District Neighborhood College** experience for anyone interested in learning more about Fairfax County – what services and programs we provide, how to address community problems, ways to develop neighborhood leadership skills. The college provides a forum for discussing our community's issues and challenges and equips participants with tools for addressing them. Please contact my office for more information.
- **The Braddock District Comprehensive Plan Citizen Task Force**, which began meeting in June, is reviewing nominations to change our district's Plan for transportation and land use. On Tuesday, **February 7th, 7:30 PM**, I will be hosting a **Community Outreach Meeting** in the Kings Park Library Community room. This will be a chance for neighbors to learn about and discuss what is being proposed. Our office will mail invitations to the closest neighbors of the potentially affected properties. *Please let me know if you would like to receive future mailings.*
- This winter, ground will be broken for the new **Burke Centre Library**. Once the parking lot is completed, and while the library is under construction, it will be used for temporary parking for commuters displaced during construction (starting in August) of a **new Parking Garage at the Burke Centre VRE Station**. Both the library and parking garage are expected to be completed in **spring of 2008**.
- People who drive, walk or live in the **Olley Lane** area can't help but notice **Little River Glen II** rising from the ground. This addition to the Little River Glen senior campus, where 120 independent living apartments for seniors already exist, will provide a subsidized **Assisted Living Facility** and **Adult Day Care Center** that will be available to older Braddock District residents needing support during the day. We are hoping for a **ribbon cutting this spring/summer**. More independent units are also being planned for the campus.

There is a saying that the only thing you can be certain of is change. It is the past, however, that helps keep us grounded and gives us context. Members of our **A Look Back at Braddock Task Force** have spent their summer vacations reading through more than 50 oral history transcripts, working on a history video, a book and a companion map, which traces our history from earliest maps to present. Our **Braddock District Fall Town Meeting on October 19th** will provide a sneak preview of these exciting history projects. Hope to see you there!



Sharon Bulova

ROADWORKS UPDATE

Burke Lake Rd. - Widen from 2 to 4 lanes from Fairfax County Parkway to Burke Centre Parkway (State Project - 1 mile). Phase two was completed in August 2005. The county sidewalk project is expected to be completed in October 2005.

Rt. 236 (Little River Turnpike) Spot Capacity and Safety Improvements - Pickett Rd. to Lake Blvd. at entrance to NVCC (State project - 2 miles). Right-of-way acquisition and utility relocation are underway. Bid advertisement is scheduled for August 2006. Construction is scheduled to begin in 2007. While Rt. 236 is *ultimately* planned to be widened to 6 lanes, this project provides for ***spot capacity and safety improvements at key intersections*** in the corridor.

Rolling Road (Route 638) (VDOT Project - 1.4 miles) Widen to 4 lanes from Old Keene Mill Rd. to Hunter Village Dr. (Springfield District). Lack of funding put the project on hold. Funds are now allocated for re-design, anticipated to begin in winter 2005.

Route 123, Ox Road @ Braddock Road (VDOT Project). Extend northbound right turn lane on Ox Rd. Design is underway.

Braddock Road @ GMU. Funded in part by the Fairfax County 4-Year Transportation Plan. Extend westbound right turn lane from existing terminus on Braddock Rd. to GMU entrance at Roanoke Ln.; add sidewalk from Roanoke to Ox Rd. Currently in final design with bid advertisement in late fall 2005 and completion in summer 2006.

Braddock Road @ Ravensworth Road (VDOT Project). Construct an acceleration lane on westbound Braddock Rd. between Ravensworth Rd. and the I-495 ramp. Goes to bid late - 2005. Design was coordinated with the **Ravensworth Sidewalk project, which was completed in August.** **Pedestrian signalization will be done later.**

Roberts Road Project. Construct a right turn lane on to Braddock Rd. from southbound Roberts Rd. next to GMU. Project design completed. Construction delayed as significant utility relocation issues are being worked through.

Zion Drive (Developer Proffered Project). Improve right-of-way from Windsor Hills Rd. to east of Roberts Rd. by removing "humps" and adding center turn lane. Weather permitting, the final paving will be done by the end of the year. Center lane will provide

dedicated left turn lanes into Windsor Hills Dr., Abernathy Ct., Laura Belle Ln. and Danas Crossing Dr. **A six-foot wide asphalt trail will be constructed on the north side of Zion Dr. from Windsor Hills Dr. to the existing trail to the west near Roberts Rd.**

Capital Beltway. In 2005, the Virginia Commonwealth Transportation Board approved the 12-Lane High Occupancy Toll (HOT) concept for improving 14 miles of the Capital Beltway between Springfield and the American Legion Bridge. A comprehensive agreement was reached between VDOT, Fluor Enterprises, Inc. and Transurban (USA) Inc. to improve the Capital Beltway (I-495). Depending upon the outcome of the Environmental Impact Statement, a financial analysis and financial backing, construction could begin in a few years.

YOUR TAX DOLLARS AT WORK FOR YOU

Improved access to Metro Bus Stops –

Olley Ln. Sidewalk Extension - install sidewalk on Olley Ln. from Colbert Ct. to Braddock Rd. Design is in progress. Construction anticipated in early 2006.

Guinea Rd. at Falmead Rd. - replace drop inlet and improve drainage on NB side of Guinea; extend trail and build bus shelter on SB side of Guinea; install crosswalk. Land acquisition is required. Construction anticipated in the first half of 2007.

Little River Glen II, Assisted Living and Adult Day Care Facility - Project to build 60-bed assisted living facility and adult day care near Olley Ln. Senior Center is under construction. Facility should be ready to open in **spring/summer 2006.**

Burke Centre VRE Station Parking Facility -

A Task Force of citizens and County staff participated in the design of this attractive facility, which will fit in with the surrounding community. Construction begins in August 2006. Completion expected in spring 2008.

Burke Centre Community Library - Project to build a 17,000 square foot community library at Fred's Oak Rd. and Fairfax County Parkway. Passage of the 2004 Library Bond Referendum provided funding for design and construction. In order to provide some temporary parking for VRE commuters during construction of the garage, this project will be phased.

Phase One - Build parking lot and site infrastructure, to start in winter 2006 and be completed in August 2006. Phase Two - The library building construction starts in fall 2006 and will be completed in spring 2008.



YOUR VOTE COUNTS, so please be sure to vote **On Election Day – November 8th!**

The last day for voter registration is October 11. Eligible voters must be 18, a current U.S. citizen, and live in the County. Voters must show one of the following forms of identification:

Virginia Voter Information Card, Virginia driver's license or special identification card issued by the Department of Motor Vehicles, valid U.S. passport, military ID card, or Social Security card at the polls. Voters who will be away from Fairfax County on November 8, or who are unable to go to the polls due to illness or disability, may vote by **absentee ballot**. To apply for an absentee ballot, the voter must complete an absentee ballot application, available online at www.fairfaxcounty.gov/eb/absentee.htm. This application must be either mailed to the Fairfax County General Registrar's Office, 12000 Government Center Parkway, Suite 323, Fairfax, VA 22035, or faxed to the registrar's office at 703-324-3725.

- ✓ The deadline to request an absentee ballot by mail *or* fax is Thursday, November 3rd.
- ✓ The final day to vote absentee *in person* is Saturday, November 5th.

ON THE BALLOT this year are Virginia's Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, Members of the House of Delegates and a School Bond Referendum.

A Word from Braddock District School Board Member Tessie Wilson ...

This November, there will be a bond referendum on the ballot to benefit the Fairfax County Public Schools. The bond, valued at \$246,325,000, includes money for new schools and renovations of older buildings. We here in the Braddock District have been very fortunate, as three of our four high schools have already been renovated, and the fourth (Woodson) is scheduled to start next fall. This bond referendum includes planning money to begin the renovation of Canterbury Woods Elementary School. More information on the bond can be found at the FCPS web site at www.fcps.edu, or by calling the Office of Community Relations at 703-246-3658.

2005 – 2006 AREA PLANS REVIEW (APR) PROCESS
Fairfax County Comprehensive Plan

In Fairfax County, planning of both land development and transportation is guided by our Comprehensive Plan. First adopted in 1975, the Plan is regularly reviewed and amended. While not law, it is a major guiding factor when land is rezoned and transportation funding sought. If challenged in court, decisions about land use are weighed in context with the Plan. The Plan is composed of two parts: the **Policy Plan** and the **Area Plans**. The **Area Plans** are site specific recommendations for every property in the County. The **Policy Plan** defines County goals, policies, objectives and guidelines. Both 2005 and 2006 are Area Plans Review years for our Braddock area.

Earlier this year, a Braddock District Citizen Task Force reviewed the **Transportation section** of the **Policy Plan**. It's most significant recommendations were:

- Coordinate the review of the Trails Plan and the Transportation Plan to be concurrent rather than consecutive.
- Trails should have equal standing with roads as a mode of transportation.
- The Trails Map should be included in the Transportation Policy Plan.

- Language giving guidance about trails as a component of a multi-modal approach to transportation should be added to the Plan.

A second Task Force reviewed the current **Land Use Plan for Braddock District (Area Plans I – IV)**. The Task Force has submitted its own nominations to amend the Plan. Recommendations include language to protect the character of some neighborhoods and add trails for better pedestrian access to the Burke Centre VRE Station. The task force will also review and make recommendations on nominations that have been submitted by the public.

On Tuesday, February 7, 2006 at 7:30 PM in the Kings Park Library Meeting Room (9000 Burke Lake Rd.), I will host an information meeting to give affected property owners and adjacent neighbors an opportunity to learn about the proposed nominations, ask questions and make comments. To be included in future mailings, **please call my office at 703-425-9300 and ask to sign up for APR 2/7**. Public hearings before the Planning Commission and the Board of Supervisors will be held in fall 2006.



YOUR CHANCE TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE

❖ **Volunteer Fairfax** is the regional leader in developing and delivering creative solutions to community needs, mobilizing people and resources to meet these needs. To learn more about Volunteer Fairfax and its opportunities, please visit the web site at <http://www.volunteerfairfax.org>. **VolunteerFest® 2005** is scheduled this year for **October 22**, in conjunction with *National Make a Difference Day*. This is a prime opportunity to participate in a county-wide event and to make a difference in your own community. Visit the Website above to learn more about *VolunteerFest® 2005*.

❖ **Volunteer Tutors Needed** for day and evening hours to work one-to-one with adults in libraries or adult learning centers as well as working with adolescents in alternative school settings. The **Volunteer Learning Program (VLP)** provides training. VLP is a joint project of the Fairfax County Public Schools Adult and Community Education, Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court, and Public Libraries. For more information, please call 703-246-2139, or e-mail VLP@fcps.edu.

❖ **Become a Reserve Deputy Sheriff** by volunteering to participate in the **Reserve Deputy Sheriff Unit**. This is a unique opportunity to serve in an interesting and rewarding role as a reserve deputy sheriff, trained to perform a variety of operational support and administrative assignments. Local training provided during non-business hours by certified law enforcement instructors. Uniforms, equipment, and risk insurance are provided. For information, contact First Lieutenant Doug Byrd at 703-246-3251.

❖ **Fairfax Mentors Project Seeking Volunteers** to donate one hour per week for one year. The Fairfax Mentors Project pairs adult mentors with youth, ages 10 to 14, to work on school projects, play sports or board games, do arts and crafts, or just to hang out. Training and ongoing support are provided. For more information, please contact Denise Straub at 703-324-5344 (TTY 703-222-9693).

❖ **Community Kitchen: Food 4 You** provides a free hot meal for those in need every third Thursday at **Highview Christian Fellowship** in Fairfax. This program is part of the **Mark of Excellence Community Services**, which also includes a Clothes Closet, providing business attire for individuals seeking employment. The Mark's TLC provides housing support in a family-like atmosphere for women in transition from homelessness or re-entering society after incarceration. For information about volunteering, please contact the Mark of Excellence at 703-323-5422 or www.markofexcellence.org.

DID YOU KNOW?

- When your community plans a **Clean-up Day**, **Clean Fairfax Council** can provide supplies such as 30-gallon litter bags, clear bags for recyclables, safety vests and safety tips. Contact Clean Fairfax at <http://www.cleanfairfaxcouncil.org> or call 703-324-5471. You can schedule a **dumpster** for a community clean-up day by calling the **County's Department of Solid Waste** at 703-550-3486.
- The **Fairfax County Sheriff's Office Community Labor Force** can provide free labor to homeowner associations as part of a community revitalization project. For more information, contact my office. The Community Labor Force has begun a **Landscape Initiative** at 40 county owned sites that has saved the County \$100,000 in the first year.
- Single-family home and townhouse residents should recycle **newspaper, glass, bottles, jars, and metal food and beverage cans**. All single-family homes and most townhouses are required to recycle yard debris (leaves, grass, brush). Contact your collector for detailed information.
- To **avoid telemarketing calls**, you can now register your land line or cellular phone with the National Do Not Call List at 1-888-382-1222 or www.donotcall.gov.
- The **Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT)** owns and maintains our roads in Fairfax County. Residents should check with VDOT (703-383-VDOT) before planting trees or shrubs between their sidewalk and the curb, in the state right-of-way. Vegetation should be trimmed so it does not overhang sidewalks.

PUBLIC SAFETY CORNER



SCAMS

Fairfax County citizens are sometimes the victims of home-based scams. Here are some things to look for in a scam and how to avoid them. If you believe you've been scammed, contact Fairfax County Consumer Protection Division or call 703-222-8435.

Tips: When in doubt, buy yourself some time. Before agreeing to purchase something over the phone or in person, ask to have something in writing to consider first. Use common sense. If something doesn't feel quite right, say "no."

Before doing business with a company, you can research the company's complaint history at http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/consumer/complaint_history.htm. If you decide to purchase a product or engage a service, get all promises and guarantees in writing and read all agreements carefully before signing. Do not allow strangers in your family vehicle or let them in your house.

EMERGENCY ALERTS

County residents can now receive real-time **emergency information** in times of crisis or severe weather. Residents registered on the **Community Emergency Alert Network (CEAN)**, a service of the county's Office of Emergency Management, will be provided a personal connection to real-time updates, instructions on where to go, protective actions that need to be taken and other important information, including National Weather Service watches and warnings.

CEAN alerts can include personal safety, weather, major accidents involving utilities or roadways, or disaster notifications. Messages will be delivered to e-mail accounts, cell phones, text pagers, satellite phones and wireless PDAs that are registered on the system. County officials will use the CEAN to deliver emergency alerts and updates during emergencies. **To register for the CEAN**, visit the Fairfax County Web page, www.fairfaxcounty.gov/cean. For additional information, contact the Office of Emergency Management at 703-324-2362.

FAIRFAX FAMILIES CARE – Hurricane Katrina

We have all watched the devastation and human tragedy caused by Hurricane Katrina. This is a national tragedy that has impacted lives in communities throughout our country. Fairfax County's Urban Search and Rescue Team, Virginia Task Force 1 (VATF1), was deployed in August and September to the Gulf Coast, returning home after providing support to many of these hard-hit communities.

The Department of Family Services, Health Department, Department of Housing and Community Development, Public Library, Public Affairs, Purchasing and Supply Management, Systems Management for Human Services, Fairfax County Public Schools, and faith and other non-profit organizations are all responding to the tremendous needs arising from this tragedy. Several hundred survivors have already made their way to Fairfax County, with many more expected. *Fairfax Families Care*, a locally-based relief effort, enables our local community to assist families who have been displaced by Hurricane Katrina, providing a plan of support and long-term assistance. For additional information about *Fairfax Families Care* and its many resources, please visit www.fxfc.org.

THE BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS HAS SUSPENDED THE GRANTING OF VARIANCES

Sessions on Setbacks, Fences/Walls, and Lot Widths and Structure Heights have been scheduled by county Zoning Administration staff to provide information on these issues.

Constituents may register for a listserv that enables Fairfax County staff to forward information directly to them, including current updates regarding public work sessions on the aforementioned topics. The public work sessions will consist of a brief introduction, a presentation of modifications under consideration, visual examples of the issues, and a question/answer/comment period. For more information and a schedule of public work sessions, contact Ms. Donna Pesto, Senior Assistant to the Zoning Administrator, by calling 703-324-1314, or by visiting the website at <http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/dpz/projects/minyard.htm>

WORST NIGHTMARE vs. DREAM PROJECT Some Hints Before You Build

You're finally ready to go forward with the long planned addition to your house. Before you start, do some important checking to save yourself time, money and friends. Talk with your neighbors about your plans so there are no surprises. Check with your community association to make sure your plans are in accord with any applicable covenants or architectural guidelines. **Visit the county's Zoning Permit Review Branch (703-222-1082) to determine that all setback requirements are met.**

If you are going to disturb more than 2,500 square feet, block existing drainage patterns, or add or remove more than 18-inches of soil, *you must file an engineered grading plan with the county.* Once your grading plan is approved, you will need to "pull your permit" to proceed. The permit will be issued after you post a Conservation Deposit (to ensure site stability). You will need a construction entrance permit from the Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) as well.

The requirements above are for site preparation for a building addition. For the structure itself, you will need approved building plans, along with a building permit, electrical permit, mechanical permit and plumbing permit (depending upon the project). Throughout the process, you will be calling for county inspections that you will need to pass before moving on to the next phase of the project. **Important hint:** You may obtain the permits in your own name, but if you hire contractors, it's strongly recommended that you have the contractor pull the permits. That way, if there is a problem, the county can assist you in getting compliance with code. A contractor must be licensed in order to obtain a permit.

Don't forget, before you dig, contact Miss Utility. Also, find answers to frequently asked questions and current projects at www.missutilityofvirginia.com.

Any tree removal must be done without disturbing more than 2,500 square feet of land. Wholesale tree removal is **not recommended** since the grading plan must show the minimum limits of grading necessary to complete the project. Tree replacement to meet the tree canopy code might be required and might result in a fine if overclearing has occurred. For a successful project, make your first stop www.fairfaxcounty.gov and click on **Construction and Land Use**.



A PENNY FOR STORMWATER WATERSHED IMPROVEMENTS



Beginning with FY 2006, the Board of Supervisors has adopted a new program that calls for an annual allocation of \$17.9 million in General Fund monies, the equivalent of one penny on the real estate tax rate, to begin a dedicated funding source for improving our watersheds and better managing stormwater problems.

The projects will be guided in part by the county's comprehensive study of our major watersheds. With these studies, we can best determine which stream banks require major rehabilitative restoration and stabilization to protect the Chesapeake Bay from further effects of erosion and sedimentation. Several critical projects have been identified in the Braddock District for funding and design. Projects not underway will involve community input as they move forward in the queue for funding and engineering:

Lake Accotink Dredging Project

Lake Accotink Dam and Spillway Repair

Rehabilitation of Emergency Spillways at:

Dam Site #4 Royal Lake

Dam Site #3 Woodglenn Lake

Dam Site #2 Lake Barton

Burke Centre Section 11B Pond Dam Repairs and Upgrades

Kings Park West Section 18 Dam Repairs and Upgrades

Fox Lair Pond Dam Repairs and Upgrades

4233 Americana Drive Headwall to Protect Roadway from Collapse

CABLE COMPETITION – AT LAST!

With the approval of Verizon's cable franchise application, Fairfax County citizens will soon be among the first in the country to have a real choice of cable providers. Construction for upgrading Verizon's lines will be required, but will result in a competitive breakthrough for our citizens. Contact my office to learn more about Verizon's plans for bringing cable choice to Braddock neighborhoods.

A LOOK BACK AT BRADDOCK



Members of our *A Look Back at Braddock* Task Force have logged more than 50 oral history interviews. Many interesting and intriguing stories about Braddock's history have been captured. One of my favorites, as portrayed by Mr. Paul Browne, describes a forest fire that "*came through [Burke] in 1941.*"

Mr. Browne recalls this fire as being an "*unbelievably big forest fire.*" The "*little community*" of Burke took quite a beating, with as many as six houses destroyed, as everyone in the community fought the fire. People were helping any way they could, trying to put out the fire and to save lives. One individual, "*a crippled person,*" according to Mr. Browne, was carried out in her bed sheet by a man who "*simply grabbed the sheet off the bed she was in and carried her out in the sheet ... she's hollering, she doesn't want to go, but they didn't want to waste time convincing her she had to.*"

As it turned out, her house didn't burn down. Every fire department in the county was there. In addition, assistance was received from many of the troops from Fort Belvoir, along with "*all of Belvoir's fire equipment.*" Even the prisoners from Lorton were enlisted to help put out this blaze. "*There was a tremendous effort to stop that fire,*" Mr. Browne remembers.

The fire apparently started at Sideburn railroad by sparks from the train. Mr. Browne believes this fire would not have happened, if not for the very strange weather experienced that winter. There was no rain and no snow, so it was extremely dry. The fire swept through what is now Burke Centre, almost to Lorton, when the wind changed and brought it "*up through the South Run Valley, through what's now Burke Lake Park, and stopped at Burke Lake Road.*" According to Mr. Browne, when the fire faced Burke Lake Road, there were approximately 100 people fighting it. An oddity that occurred as a result of this fire, as it faced Burke Lake Road, was the explosion of many box turtles that were in the area. The community of Burke survived, although Mr. Browne doesn't know how, since it was "*the hottest fire you ever saw.*"

WHAT'S HAPPENING ON CAMPUS

Fairfax County Public Schools

Woodson High School design has been completed and is currently in the permitting phase. In addition to renovation of the entire building, the project will feature several additions, including new PE spaces, new administrative spaces, a new science wing, and a new auditorium. Construction will begin in fall 2006. For a virtual tour of Woodson's renovations, please visit <http://www.fcps.edu/fts/designconst/index.htm>.

Lake Braddock Secondary School is in the second year of construction and is approximately 50% complete. The school has just moved into a new media center wing and science wing. The project will be completed in fall 2007.

Canterbury Woods Elementary School recently received a new ten-classroom modular building to replace existing trailers. The modular has toilets and other support spaces and functions essentially as an added wing to the school.

Robinson Secondary School will soon receive a new ten-classroom modular building. Completion is scheduled for late fall 2005.

George Mason University

The Fairfax Campus of GMU is undertaking the biggest construction project in its history this fall inside Patriot Circle. The seven building development will add 1,100 beds and a dining and fitness area. Completion of all phases is scheduled for August 2008. For additional information specific to the Northeast Sector Development, please visit <http://facilities.gmu.edu/projects/ne/index.htm>, or <http://facilities.gmu.edu/projects/index.htm> for an overview of all GMU projects.

Northern Virginia Community College

The Annandale Campus of NVCC is getting a facelift. A number of buildings are being renovated and remodeled. The relocation of the nursing and Allied Health programs of study to the Medical Education Center in Springfield created space that is being converted into traditional classrooms. At the Shuler or "CS" building, an entire suite of science labs and classrooms is planned. Also under construction is a six-level, 800-space parking garage with continued upgrading of the plaza. The main entrance and exits of the new garage are from Center Drive, and will permit drivers to pull in and out of the garage's third floor from an existing faculty parking lot on the north side. The main stairway and a two-elevator tower will be located at the southeast corner of the garage.

YOURS FOR THE ASKING

Contact my office for the following:

- **COMMUNITY CHALLENGES AND CONCERNS**- who to call to report problems and code violations in your community.
- **PROTECTING OUR YOUTH FROM GANG INVOLVEMENT**- what to look for and what do if you suspect gang activity.
- **TAX FACTS**- general information about Fairfax County taxes.
- **DISASTER PREPAREDNESS**- make a plan, build a disaster supply kit, get training, and volunteer.
- **ELECTION GUIDES**
Work at the polls on Election Day
Facts for Voters 2005
Voter registration forms
Absentee ballot applications
- **TRANSIT GUIDES**
Metrobus Timetables
VRE Riders Guide
A Guide to Ridesharing in Fairfax County
- **ENVIRONMENTAL PACKET**
Gypsy Moths and Other Forest Pests
Invasive Backyard Plants, Wildlife,
Environmental Treasures
A Volunteer Partnership – Working with
Citizens to Improve our Streams
Watershed Stewardship Opportunities
- **FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS ABOUT THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN**

FALL TOWN MEETING

Wednesday, October 19th, 7:30 P.M.

Kings Park Library
Community Room
9000 Burke Lake Road, Burke, Virginia

A LOOK BACK AT BRADDOCK **From Early History to Present**

Our Oldest Roads and Settlements
The Evolution of our Public Institutions
How our Present Neighborhoods Began

WINTER TOWN MEETING

Wednesday, February 8th, 2 P.M.

Little River Glen Senior Center
Rt. 236 and Olley Lane, Fairfax, Virginia

YOUR STORIES

Residents of Little River Glen will share interesting stories about their lives followed by an “Open Mike” personal history telling session

Fairfax County is committed to nondiscrimination in all County programs, service and activities. Special accommodations/alternative information formats will be provided upon request. Call 703-324-3187, TTY 703-324-2935.